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South-Carolina GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1772.

CHARLES-TOWN: Printed by T. POWELL & Co. at the Printing-Office near the EXCHANGE.

New Advertisements.

THE Negroes advertised by the Subscribers, to be sold on *Friday* the 25th of *September* Instant, being disposed of altogether, they give this Notice, that no Person may be disappointed.

EDWARD BLAKE,
SAMUEL LEGARE.

Wanted immediately,

For the Use of the Fortifications in CHARLES-TOWN,

A Quantity of PINE WOOD,

About Eighty Cords: Three Inch CYPRESS PLANKS, &c. for a PLATFORM to Granville's Bastion; and Materials for a considerable Quantity of BRICK WORK to Craven, Granville, and Lyttelton's Bastions.——Any Persons inclinable to supply the above, and undertake the Repairs, are desired to deliver in their Proposals, by the 10th of OCTOBER next, to

PETER BOUNETHEAU.

ANY Person willing to undertake the Sinking of a DRAIN, to be Two and a Half Feet wide, and Three and a Half Feet high in the Clear, and to be floored with good Two Inch Cypress Plank, and deep enough to a Emit of Cellars Six Feet deep, in OLD CHURCH-STREET, from the Corner of the Alley leading to KING-STREET, into ASHLEY-RIVER, are desired to send in their Proposals as soon as possible, to PETER BOUNETHEAU.

ATKINSON & SYKES,

Being removed to the Store in BROAD-STREET,
AARON LOOCOCK's,

Have imported in the last Ships from England,

A fresh and complete Assortment

OF

European & East-India Goods,

Suitable for this Province;

Which they will sell Wholesale or Retail on their usual LOW TERMS for Cash, in Proportion for Credit, or for in CAROLINA Produce.

They also continue their STORE *on Colonel* BEALE's *Wharf.*

For all Kinds of Northward Articles,

VIZ.

SUPERFINE FLOUR, in Barrels, Half Barrels, and Kegs; Ship BREAD; Milk, Water, and Butter BISCUIT; RUM, HAMS, SOAP, CHEESE, white FLINT CORN, at 2*s.* per Bushel; OATS, STARCH, WINDSOR CHAIRS, QUEEN's WARE, *&c. &c.* Which they import regularly by every Return of a Vessel kept constantly in that Trade.

N. B. GREEN TEA, at 50*s.*—BOHEA DITTO, at 25*s.*—and fine LOAF-SUGAR, at 5*s.* per Pound.

FRANCIS AYRTON

Has just imported, in the Brigantine ST. AUGUSTINE-PACKET, *Captain* REGAN, *from* LONDON,

SCARLET, green, Claret, and brown VELVERETS; Yard-wide figured Dimities; Pillow Fustians; 9 and 10-4 Counterpanes; 3-4 and Yard-wide Checks; striped Hollands; Mens Beaver and Felt Hats; Boys white Ditto; brown and white Thread Hose; plain and white ribbed Silk Ditto; black Worsted Breeches Pieces; Mens Shoes; Womens Everlasting and Calamanco Ditto; Looking-Glasses; Saddles and Saddle-Trees.

He has also received by the same Vessel,

A CONSIGNMENT of Buff and Straw coloured *India* SATINS—a few Pieces of Straw coloured *India* LUSTRINGS—black *India* PERSIANS—and *India* Cotton HANDKERCHIEFS: Which will be sold very CHEAP, at his Store opposite to *Gadsden's-Alley*, in BROAD-STREET.

*** Very good BOHEA TEA, at 25*s.*—GREEN, at 60*s.*—and very good HYSON, at 95*s.* and 100*s.* per Pound.

Madera and *Vidonia* WINE.

THE former of the *York*, *London*, and *London* PARTICULAR Qualities—and the latter equal in Goodness to any imported into this Province, to be sold in Pipes, Half and Quarter Pipes, by

Robert, John, & J. Smyth.

The SUBSCRIBER

HAS opened a private House of Entertainment and Lodging, for Country Gentlemen and Ladies, in TRADD-STEET, next Door to Mr. *Hawkins's* Store; where they may be assured of always meeting with genteel Accommodations, both in Diet and Lodging; and their Favours gratefully acknowledged. by

Their humble Servant,
HENRY SLADE.

N. B. He will be much obliged to his Friends in the Country, for a Continuance of their Favours in the Disposal of their Beef, Hogs, &c. this Winter; and assures them, that his utmost Endeavours shall be exerted for the Interest of those who may be favour him with their Commands in the above Way.

Dancing & Fencing.

PIKE's ACADEMY,

FOR

DANCING and FENCING,

WAS opened this Day, at his new SUITE of ROOMS in CHURCH-STREET.

The USE of the SMALL SWORD taught every Morning from *Five* o'Clock to *Nine*.

Young Ladies and Gentlemen instructed in DANCING every THURSDAY and SATURDAY.

An EVENING SCHOOL for Gentlemen every Evening in the Week, from *Six* o'Clock to *Nine*.

Having four Afternoons in the Week at Liberty, he proposes to wait upon Ladies or Gentlemen at their own Houses, to instruct them in any Branch of DANCING they may chuse.

He takes this Opportunity of acquainting the Parents and Guardians of his Scholars, That his BALL will be on TUESDAY the *Eighth* of DECEMBER next—hopes they will send them as soon as possible, that he may be enabled to complete his Figures in a proper Manner.

Charles-Town, Sept. 17, 1772.

Alexander Alexander

PROPOSES to teach the Art of SURVEYING in the Evenings, the ensuing FALL and WINTER, provided he can get a sufficient Number of young Gentlemen engaged, to make it worth his While: And having furnished himself with a CIRCUMFERENTOR and CHAIN, he intends to accompany his Pupils to the Fields and Woods near Town, at convenient Times, in order to instruct them in the

As Lands in this Province daily increase in Value, the Utility of this Art must encrease in Proportion.—The Advantages of an accurate Acquaintance with it, must be very apparent to those Gentlemen in particular, who are possessed of landed Property in the Country, as it might, at any Time, give them a satisfactory Knowledge of the exact Dimensions of their own Possessions; might be a Source of rational Amusement in their leisure Hours; and might enable them to be serviceable to their Friends and Neighbours.

*** He has good Accommodations for Boarders, who may be inst[illegible] above Branch, and in any other he professes teach, without any additional Expence.

FELLOWSHIP SOCIETY.

A QARTERLY MEETING of the said Society will be held on WEDNESDAY the Fourteenth of *October* next, at the House of Mrs. CATHARINE POINSETT, in *Elliott-street*, where the Members are desired to attend at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

By Order of the President,
WILLIAM FORD, Secretary.

For LONDON, *directly,*

THE SHIP

SALLY,

BENJAMIN BERRY, *Master.*

HAS Two-Thirds of her Cargo engaged:—For Freight of the Remainder, or for Passage, agree with said Master, or JOHN NEUFVILLE.

Fine old *Vidonia* and *London Particular*

MADERA WINE,

TO BE SOLD, by

George-Abbott Hall & Co.

The GAME of MOTTOES,

OR

ENGLISH JOKES,

IN Imitation of, but far superior to, the *French* MOTTOES or JOKES sold at a very high Price in *London*. These JOKES were invented Abroad as an agreeable Amusement after Dinner and Supper, by enlivening and entertaining Company at a trifling Expence. Ladies chuse for Gentlemen, and Gentlemen for Ladies; and when broke, contain a Motto or Joke, which generally is productive of the greatest Mirth and Humour. In short, every one may find in this Game, under the pleasing Covering of artificial Fruit, a Flower or a Bird, some useful Precepts, and witty and agreeable Saying, tending to convey Instruction by Means of Pleasure and Delight.

A fresh PARCEL, just arrived from *London*,

To be SOLD, by Appointment of the Proprietors,

By ROBERT WILSON,
At his Shop on the BAY, in CHARLES-TOWN.

CHARLES-TOWN, AUGUST 20, 1772.

ALL Persons who have not delivered in their ACCOMPTS against the Estate of PETER DELANCY, *Esq*; deceased, as formerly advertised, are requested to deliver them in, properly attested, before the First Day of NOVEMBER next, as on that Day all Accompts will be paid, in Proportion to the Sums received, for Account of said Estate, by

ELIZABETH DELANCY, *Administratrix.*

Mr. POWELL,

IN my second letter, you were promised some *observations* on several Acts of the General Assembly of this province, which I was then perusing,—meaning *such* chiefly, as were particularly intended to *prevent* the introduction of contagious distempers; and to *secure* the lives and properties of the inhabitants thereof, by *repressing* that deluge of enormous vices, which at this time prevails amongst your slaves, and from which, if those laws are still suffered to be treated with contempt, the most dreadful consequences may be apprehended. In my last I proposed to give you some *extracts* from *a few* of those acts: But, at present, I am obliged to confine myself to *one* (and a *principal one* it is, with respect to the safety of the people) which was passed the 10th day of May 1740, will continue in force 'till the end of the next session after the 7th of April 1775, and is intituled, "*an act for the better ordering and governing Negroes and* "*other Slaves in this province*;" for the remarks I shall have occasion to make on several paragraphs of *that law alone*, will probably take up as much room as you can afford in one paper.

The 3d section of that act, subjects every Slave *who shall be found* out of *the limits of* the town, or plantation, *to which he or she belongs*, without *a ticket, letter, or some white person in company, to corporal punishment, not exceeding* 20 *lashes on the bare back.*

REMARK. Is it not principally owing to the non-observance of this excellent regulation, that seldom fewer than 40 or 50 fugitive slaves are harboured and entertained within 10 miles of Charles-Town; who not only subsist by theft and robbery, but entice and encourage others to become as useless and troublesome to their owners, &c. as they themselves are?—Whoever may please to walk or ride, from this town, only so far as where the road divides near the Quarter-House, from about 3 hours before sun-setting on Saturday afternoon, 'till 11 o'clock at night, and from about two hours before sun-rising 'till an hour after it sets on Sundays, will not be long at a loss to answer the question: For, tho' he will find the numbers passing and repassing between these periods, never to be less than *four hundred*, but often exceeding *seven*, yet he will rarely meet with more than 40 or 50 tickets or letters in the hands of the *Country Negroes*, and never more than 4 or 5 such licences amongst *those* that *belong to the Town*, who generally make *four-fifths* of these strollers: Few of the *latter*, when questioned by a white man, will return any answer; and most of those who vouchsafe to do so, will, in a surly and insolent tone, tell him, "they belong to *their Masters*—are going (either) *home*, or, to "*their wives*—or, to a DANCE: Not many will condescend to pay the compliment of taking off their hats to a white man, who, by his appearance, seems below affluence: At such times likewise, those Negroes are, for the most part, provided with heavy hickory sticks or clubs, hanging to which they carry baskets, bags, or jugs, with provision, liquor, and perhaps plunder.

The *Stranger* had once an opportunity of seeing a Country-Dance, Rout, or Cabal of *Negroes*, within 5 miles distance of this town, on a Saturday night; and it may not be improper here to give a description of that assembly. It consisted of about 60 people, 5-6ths from Town, every one of whom carried something, in the manner just described; as, bottled liquors of all sorts, Rum, Tongues, Hams, Beef, Geese, Turkies and Fowls, both dress and raw, with many luxuries of the table, as sweatmeats, pickles, &c. (which some did not scruple to acknowledge they obtained by means of false keys, procured from a Negro in Town, who could make any Key, whenever the impression of the true one was brought to him in wax) besides other articles, which, without doubt, were stolen, and brought thither, in order to be used on the present occasion, or to be concealed and disposed of by such of the gang as might have the best opportunities for this purpose: Moreover, they were provided with Music, Cards, Dice, &c. The entertainment was opened, by the men copying (or *taking off*) the manners of their masters, and the women those of their mistresses, and relating some highly curious anecdotes, to the inexpressible diversion of that company. Then they *danced, betted, gamed, swore, quarrelled, fought,* and did *every thing* that the *most modern* accomplished gentlemen are *not ashamed of*; except *breaking of lamps, abusing the watch*, and what is commonly called *beating up of quarters*, which would have endangered their own safety. They had also their private committees; whose deliberations were carried on in too low a voice, and with so much caution, as not to be overheard by the others; much less by the *Stranger*, who was concealed in a deserted adjacent hut, where the humanity of a well-disposed grey-headed Negro man had placed him, pitying his *seeming* indigence and distress. The members of this *secret council*, had much the appearance of Doctors, in deep and solemn consultation upon life or *death*; which indeed might have been the scope of their meditations at that time. Not less than 12 fugitive slaves joined this respectable company before midnight, 8 of whom were mounted on good horses; these, after delivering a good quantity of Mutton, Lamb, and Veal, which they brought with them, directly associated with one or other of the private consultators; and went off about an hour before day, being supplied with liquor, &c. and perhaps having also received some instructions.—The *Stranger* is informed, that such assemblies *have been* very common, and that the company has sometimes amounted to 200 persons, even within one mile's distance of this place: Nay, he has been told, that intriguing meetings of this sort *are* frequent even in Town, either at the houses of *free negroes*, apartments *hired to slaves*, or the *kitchens* of such Gentlemen as frequently retire, with their families, into the country, for a few days; and that, at these assemblies, there are seldom fewer than 20 or 30 people, who commit all kinds of excesses. Whenever or wherever such nocturnal rendezvouses are made, may it not be concluded, that their deliberations are never intended for the advantage of the white people?

Was the PATROL-DUTY intended to prevent such monstrous irregularities, and the manifest ill-consequences thereof? If it was, why then is it not performed, and with the necessary secrecy? not in the *accustomed* manner. Why is the neglect thereof totally overlooked, and not rigidly punished?—Is there any *safety* for *that people*, who suffer such exorbitant insults to be committed with impunity?—The fault lies somewhere; and depends chiefly on the *supine negligence* of those, whose stations *require*, that they should see the Laws carried into due execution, but yet permit them to be *trampled upon*, and government to be insulted, by *slaves*. To what else can it be attributed, that those nightly cabals are not prevented? for no night passes without them.

The 5th paragraph, authorizes any white person to demand of every slave, who shall be found out of the town, or plantation, to which he belongs, whether he has a ticket, &c. And, if any slave refuses to submit to such examination, to pursue, apprehend, and moderately correct him. And further, to kill any slave, who, when he is thus questioned, shall assault or strike such white person;

REMARK. What fuller power can be conferred, than is given, both by this section and the Patrol-Act, for the prevention and removal of many of the evils to which we are daily and nightly exposed, by the insolence of negroes.

PAR. XVIII. *Not only gives a power to, but requires, magistrates and freeholders on the trial of slaves* (except for murder and actual rebellion) *before they award sentence of death, to appraise and value every slave so to be executed, at any sum* not exceeding 200*l. currency —for this reason*—"That the owners may NOT be "*tempted* to conceal the crimes of their negroes, to *the* "*prejudice of the public.*"

REMARK. Slaves who are tradesmen, cooks, seamstresses, &c. were always reckoned worth double the above sum, many of the former being valued even to 1000*l.* and *now*, negro men brought directly from the coast of Africa sell for 430 or 450*l.* each.——Who then would not, either conceal a capital crime committed by his slave, or dispose of him to the best advantage, rather than lose so considerable a part of his property? *He* who would NOT be thus *tempted*, must surely be allowed to possess *very disinterested* principles. I fear, few such men are to be met with, amongst those whose property consists in *slavery*. I have not known many, even among *the rich*, above this temptation, or who are willing to make sacrifices of this sort, for the *public good*. On the contrary, do we not see daily instances of the most execrable villains being sold, or sent off the province, or no farther than Winyaw, even for the horrid crime of administering poison, which is an evil of the first magnitude? And is it reasonable to suppose, than an *honest industrious tradesman* with a numerous family, who has laboured *very hard* to purchase one or two negroes, and instruct them in his business, and upon whose work the support of his family entirely depends, himself perhaps being worn out with age or sickness, or whose circumstances might have been straitened by misfortunes, or the knavery of others—I say, is it reasonable to expect, that a man in *such a situation*, would, *for the public good*, starve himself, his wife and children, and cheat his creditors, supposing him in debt? Yet on this cloth of men, do most of the losses by executions of negroes fall, because they have not the same friends, advice and assistance that riches, however acquired, command ——Hence many crimes are concealed, for which the offender should suffer death, and he left at liberty to commit the same offences, with aggravations, perhaps 'til he becomes seven times worse than he was at first.—— The *restriction* in the *valuation* of criminal slaves is therefore an object worthy of, and, I will presume to say, *demanding*, the immediate and serious consideration of the legislature.

PAR. XX. *Subjects the owner of a slave who is accused of a capital crime, to a forfeiture of no more than* 250*l. currency, for concealing or conveying him or her away; and to* 50*l. if he or she be accused of crimes not capital.*

REMARK. Thus, if a person conveys a criminal slave away, for whom he can get 700*l.* he obtains 450*l.* more than he would do by delivering him up to justice.——Can *this section* then be said to have a tendency, towards *preventing* the owners of slaves being *tempted* to *conceal* their crimes, to *the prejudice of the* public?

[*We are sorry that we have not Room for the Remainder of this Letter, but it shall be concluded in our next.*]

New Advertisements.

A QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE SOUTH-CAROLINA SOCIETY,

Will be held on TUESDAY the 6th Day of OCTOBER next, at the House of Mrs. *Catharine Poinsett*, in *Charles-Town*; where the MEMBERS are desired to attend, precisely at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

By Order of the Society,
SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, CLERK.

EDWARD GUNTER

Has imported in the last Vessels from LONDON,
A large and complete ASSORTMENT OF
DRUGS & MEDICINES,

KEYSER's, Lockyer's, Hooper's, and Anderson's PILLS; Squire's, Daffy's, Radcliffe's, and Fraunces's ELIXIRS; James's Fever Powder; Godfrey's Cordial; Bateman's Drops; British Oil; Stoughton's and Jackson's Bitters; Turlington's Balsam; Balsam of Honey; Elixir Bardana, for the Gout and Rheumatism; Golden and Plain Spirits of Scurvy Grass; Eau de Luce; Essence of Peppermint; Jesuits Drops; Beaume de Vie; Balm of Gilead; Ward's White Drops, for the Scurvy; Tincture of Sage; Head-Ach Drops, &c. all warranted GENUINE, from their original Warehouses.—Double distilled Rose, Lavender, Honey, and Hungary Waters; Cinamon, Citron, and Orange Cordial Waters; Phials, Gally Pots, Pill Boxes; Glass and Pewter Funnels; labelled Ointment Pots; Specie Bottles, with Brass Caps; ground stopped Bottles of all Sizes; Nipple Glasses; Glass Retorts, with Recipients; Glass Urinals; Glass, Marble, and Bell-Metal Mortars and Pestles; Scales and Weights; best London and common Lancets; Pocket Instruments; Arterial Needles; Spring Tooth Instruments; Pewter Glyster and Ivory Syringes; Glyster Pipes; Sheep Skins; Spatula's; Plaister Pans; Crucibles; three Gallon Tincture Bottles, labelled; and other Materials for Practitioners in Physic and Surgery.——A great Variety of PICKLES, such as Anchovies, Spanish and French Olives, Walnuts, Capers, Ketchup, and India Soye; white and brown Candy; Barley-Sugar; Liquorice; Canary and Flax-Seed; Wash-Balls; Cinamon, Cloves, Mace, Nutmegs, and All-Spice; Pearl-Barley, India Salop, and Sago; Court-Plaister; cold Drawn, common Linseed, and best Florence Oil; Quincy's Dispensatories; Smelling Bottles; Vermillion; Prussian Blue; Tooth-Brushes; Lawn Sieves; Copperas; Allum; Bristol, Pyrmont, and Spa Waters, *&c. &c.*—All which he will sell on very reasonable Terms, and proper Allowance will be made to Practitioners, and others who deal largely.

*** BOXES of MEDICINES, with Directions, for Plantations and Ships Use, prepared in the best Manner—and all Orders from the Country punctually and expeditiously complied with.

ALL Persons having any Demands on the Estate of RICHARD OSWALD, Esq; in EAST-FLORIDA, are desired to send them immediately, to Mr. JOHN FAIRLAMB, at ST. AUGUSTINE, for Payment without further Notice. (6 w.)

Radcliffe & Shepheard,

HAVE JUST IMPORTED,
In the ST. HELENA, *Capt* ARTHAR, *from* BRISTOL,

DUFFIL Blankets; white and coloured PLAINS, of a very good Quality; NAILS of all Sorts; Iron Pots; Hoes, and Axes; Cotton and Wool Cards; Mens coarse and fine Hats; Boys Ditto; Earthen and Glass Ware of all Kinds; Osnabrugs, and Osnabrugs Thread; Shot of all Sizes.

They have likewise just received from LONDON,
A QUANTITY of HOSIERY;

Consisting of Mens Silk Breeches Patterns, of all Prices; Mens coarse and fine Thread and Silk Stockings; Womens, Boys, and Girls Ditto: Which, with their Stock before on Hand, they will sell upon the most moderate Terms, at their Store in BROAD-STREET.

CHARLES-TOWN, AUGUST 6, 1772.

THE Subscriber, being authorized, by a Decree of the Honourable the Court of Chancery, to receive and collect all the Monies due and owing to the late Co-partnership of KINCAID & BLAIKIE, hereby *gives Notice*, That the Books of Accompt of said Co partnership are now in his Hands; and, as there is an absolute Necessity for settling the Concerns thereof immediately, he hopes those who are indebted thereto, will avail themselves of this Notice.

JOHN REMINGTON, jun.

Will be SOLD at public Vendue,

On THURSDAY *next, the 24th of* SEPTEMBER *Instant, at the usual Place in* CHARLES-TOWN,

A likely young Negro-Wench,

Country born, about Twenty Years of Age, can Wash, Iron, and Sew.—She is not offered for Sale for any Fault, but her Owner has too many Women about his Plantation.

OATS & RUSSEL.

N. B. Any Person inclinable to purchase before the Day of Sale, may see the Negro at Mr. STEPHEN SHREWSBERRY's, House-Carpenter, in *Meeting-street*.

To be SOLD by private Contract,

And may be taken into Possession after the 1st Day of Dec. *next;*
That valuable PLANTATION,

Late the Property of Colonel GEORGE PAWLEY, junior, on *Waccamaw*, situated on the Sea-Shore; containing Four Hundred and Seventy Acres, One Hundred and Fifty of which is as choice Indico Land as any in this Province; and about [illegible] Acres suitable for Rice: The Remainder [illegible] supplied with a Variety of good Timber [illegible] to the Plantation. Upon the Place are a good [illegible] House, and other necessary Out-Buildings, together with Garden, Orchard, &c.——Likewise, Two new sets of Indico Vats, and Timber prepared on the Place sufficient to erect a Pump-Machine, and another Set of Vats.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, may apply in *Charles-Town*, to Mr. HUGH SWINTON, or in my Absence, to Col. PAWLEY, at present on said Plantation.

DALZIEL HUNTER.

STRAYED or STOLEN

Out of the Subscriber's Yard, in the Night between the 5th *of* September, *Instant,*
A GREY MARE,

About thirteen Hands high, branded on the mounting Shoulder with an Heart and C. and on the off Buttock 3H, with a Bow Mane, and Switch Tail. Whoever delivers the said Mare to me in Charles-Town, at the Sign of the Ferry, shall receive TWO DOLLARS Reward.

JOHN-MORTIMER WILLIAMS.

RUN AWAY

From the Subscriber, two Months ago,
A NEGRO FELLOW, named FRANK,

near five Feet ten Inches high, about 25 Years of Age; one of his Fingers has been dislocated or broke. He has been seen between Ashley River Ferry and Rantowle's Bridge. Any Person that will apprehend the said Run-Away, and deliver him to me in Charles-Town, shall receive a Reward of TEN POUNDS Currency. JOHN BRAILSFORD.

Charles-Town, October 24, 1771.

NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. TORRANS & POAUG, of *Charles-Town*, Merchants, have assigned all their Debts and Effects to the Subscribers, in Trust, for paying out of the Money to arise therefrom, such of the Creditors of the said TORRANS & POAUG, as shall within Twelve Months from this Day, consent and agree to receive a Dividend of their Debts, in Average and Proportion, as far as the said Money will extend, and thereupon to execute general Releases of their Demands, against the said TORRANS & POAUG.—Their other Creditors are excluded from any Share of the said Money: Therefore, those who are willing to accept Dividends upon the Terms above-mentioned, are desired to signify such Consent, and to transmit their Accounts, duly attested, within the Time above limited.

The Books of Accounts, &c. are in the Possession of Mr. *William Graham*, (at a Store on Col. Beale's Wharf) who is appointed and impowered by the Assignees, to receive and collect the Monies due to the said *Torrans & Poaug*, of which all Persons concerned, are desired to take Notice.

The Bill Creditors of the said TORRANS & POAUG, are desired to deliver in to the Assignees, such Bills of Exchange, as have been returned protested, in order that proper Steps may be pursued for their Recovery.

JACOB MOTTE,
WILLIAM LOGAN,
JOHN HUGER,
ALEXANDER MICHIE,
BENJAMIN HUGER,
ALEXANDER ROSE,
} *Assignees.*

Wants Employment,
A MARRIED MAN,

Who understands something of Accompts, writes a fair Hand, and can be well recommended:—He would be glad of either in or out of Door Business. Enquire at the Printing-Office on the BAY, near the EXCHANGE.

Mr. POWELL,

IN your last Gazette, Mr. RICHARD BARNETT, *Barrack-Master* (I ask Pardon for this Omission before) Captain of the Watch-Company, and Ordnance Store-Keeper, in Charles-Town, &c. &c. has offered to resign his Place of Dog-Keeper, in order (as he says) to compliment one of my own Family with that *honourable* Office. I much admire the excessive Modesty of this Captain, &c. that he never publickly acknowledged *his having been a considerable Time at the House where Mr.* LEVY *lately dwelt, on Purpose to see that His Excellency's Hounds and Terriers were properly taken Care of* (which is a Fact he cannot deny.) And, was I inclined to accept a Post of that Importance, I would first desire to be informed, by that *respectable* Officer, what the Place brought him in annually, Salary and Perquisites:—But, as the Smiles of Fortune are uncertain, and, on some future Occasion, the Captain may be obliged to resume the Post of Dog-Keeper, I totally decline his Interest for it.

How in the Name of Wonder the Captain came to imagine, that I had a Right to the Epithets of Lyar, Scoundrel, and Coward, or was in Want of his Place, I cannot conceive; for he is neither acquainted with my Name, Person, or Place of Abode.—I don't know any Man that the Epithets suit so well, being official, as himself; therefore desire you will return them to him. I am, *Your constant Reader,* B. M.

Mr. POWELL,

CAPTAIN FOWLER's exculpatory Declaration upon Oath, appeared in Hand Bills on the 5th, and in the GENERAL GAZETTE of the 7th Instant: But I am sorry to say, that it does not contain the *clearest Evidence* of his and Captain Schermerhorn's Innocence.

His Declaration leaves Room for this Conclusion, That, as he was not asked the following Question,

"*Was any of the above Disorders on Board during the* "*Passage?*"

so He prudently *concealed*, that one of Mr. TENANT's Children had had the Measles on board.

The Gentleman's Departure was too early after his Publication, to have an Opportunity of seeing this Remark: But I hope, when he returns, he will not neglect to exculpate himself from the Charge of such a *Reservation*; nor omit to add, *by whom* the Oath was administered at *Fort-Johnson*. I am,

Yours, &c. THE STRANGER.

CHARLES-TOWN, Sept. 10, 1772.

COOK & DOWNES,
SURVEYORS,

CONTINUE their Business, in SURVEYING and SEARCHING for VACANT LAND.—Any Gentlemen chusing to favour them with their Commands, shall be diligently, punctually, and faithfully served: And, as they purpose staying out till the Winter sets in, any Land Warrants, Orders, &c. left with Mr. GEORGE COOKE, near the Exchange, will be speedily forwarded to them.

N. B.

JAMES COOK is now [illegible] a complete MAP of the NEW ACQUISITIONS added to this Province, with all the *Districts, Lines, Roads, Court Houses*, and many other Remarks, established [illegible] GENERAL SURVEY—together with the *Sea-Coasts, Soundings, Time of High-Water*, and every other Thing which may render it instructive, ornamental, and useful, both as to Geography and Navigation.—He likewise proposes to insert the Lands he runs out, as Deputy Surveyor, before *Christmas*, of Five Hundred Acres or upwards, with the Proprietors Names, if they subscribe for one Set, which will consist of about Forty Inches by Thirty-six.—The Price, TWO DOLLARS and HALF when delivered.

Subscriptions [illegible] at the above Mr. GEORGE COOKE's.

JUST IMPORTED,

By Captain BERRY, *from* BRISTOL,
A Quantity of SAIL-CLOTH,

Of a superior Quality, for Scooners Sails, and to be sold remarkably CHEAP—*First Sorts*, from 9*s.* to 9*s.* 6*d.* per Yard—*Second Sorts*, 6*s.* 9*d.* to 8*s.*——Chair Harnesses, of the best oiled Leather, complete, from 24*l.* to 30*l.* per Set; Steel Indian-Corn Mills;—and a Quantity of the very best *London* prepared LINSEED OIL, fit for immediate Use, to be sold at my Store opposite the *Exchange*.

WILLIAM DOUGHTY.

N. B. A few Quarter Casks of good MADERA WINE, to be sold for Cost and Charges.

The BREW-HOUSE

IS now, and will (for the future) constantly be supplied with good TABLE-BEER—and those who may be pleased to send their Orders will be punctually served, by

Their humble Servant,
EDMUND EGAN.

N. B. GRAINS for HORSES and COWS—and BAKERS may depend on a constant Supply of YEAST.

SAIL-CLOTH, of the most approved Sort, for Coasters, and as cheap as any that is imported—Striped Duffil BLANKETS—*Irish* BEEF in Barrels—*Antigua* RUM, and *Vidonia* WINE, to be sold, by GEORGE SMITH.

WANTED, Ten or Twelve Cords of TANNERS BARK—CASH will be given.

WANTED,

A PERSON who will undertake to frame a Wharf with Palmeto Logs, in a substantial Manner, Fifty Feet in Breadth, and One Hundred and Fifty Feet in Length, and about Eight Feet in Depth. Apply to

THEODORE GAILLARD, *jun.*

Who is in want of an honest, sober, and industrious MAN, to live on a Plantation.

CHARLES-TOWN, SEPT. 9, 1772.

THE Subscriber hereby gives Notice, That he will pay no Debts contracted in his Name, without a writen Order from under his Hand, after the Date of this Advertisement. JAMES DONNOM.

Charles-Town, Sept. 9, 1772.

LOST, about Two Months since,

Between the 11 *Mile-Post, on* Ponpon *Road, and* Charles-Town,
A small Mahogany SHAVING-BOX,

Lined with green Velvet; containing two [illegible] Glass, and other Shaving Articles.——Whoever will bring the above to the Printing-Office, [illegible] shall receive TWO DOLLARS for their Trouble.

CHARLES-TOWN, SEPTEMBER 17.

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY next, are the Days appointed to ballot for our NEW Representatives; when, as the Existence of the *Beaufort-Assembly*, in all Probability, will be as *short* as, it is presumed, their Resolutions will be *spirited*, it seems to be determined by the Electors, to vote for no Gentlemen but who are on the Spot and can give their personal Attendance—the present Crisis being looked upon as the most improper, to make the Choice a mere Compliment.

On Thurday last died, Mr. Charles Little, acting Lieutenant on board his Majesty's Ship Gibraltar, commanded by Sir Thomas Rich.

On Friday last died, Miss Sally Sinclair, eldest Daughter of the late Mr. John Sinclair, Merchant.

Zachariah Villepontoux, Esq; Mr. Richard Beresford, Mr. Pendergrass, Mr. Gray, and some others, returned here last Week, from Philadelphia, in the Brigt. Prince of Wales, Captain Moore.

The Sloop Dispatch, Ephraim Gilbert Master, which arrived here last Sunday, in Eleven Weeks from Madera, was dismasted in a Gale of Wind on the 31st past, which continued Forty-eight Hours. On the 2d Instant Captain Gilbert saw several Casks, Chests, &c. floating about, and a square-rigged Vessel that had lost its Mainmast.

The Scooner mentioned in our last, as driven ashore in Sewee-Bay, we are since informed, is entirely lost, and also the Cargo.

Last Tuesday put into this Port, having been 75 Days at Sea, and reduced almost to a Wreck, the Scooner Two Sallys, Joseph Morse Master, of and for Jamaica, from the Musquito-Shore, laden with Mahogany.

Captain Thurston, arrived in Georgia from Jamaica, met with a violent Gale of Wind on the 5th of August, which obliged him to put into Cape St. Nicola Mole, to refit—where the following Vessels had likewise been obliged to put in, viz. The Home-Castle, McIntosh; and Capel, Curling, both for London; and the Milford, Watson, for Bristol; all from Jamaica.

This Day returned from Philadelphia, in the Charles-Town Packet, Messrs. John James, William Sykes, Merchants, Mr. Joseph Verree, Mrs. Ash, &c.—Captain Wright saw several dismasted Vessels on the Passage.

*** CLIO's *two Favours have been received but are omitted for Want of Room; as was several* ADVERTISEMENTS, *but they shall be inserted in our next.*

Timothy's Marine List.

Sept.	Arrivals at Charles-Town,	*From*
10th.	Scooner Liberty, Richard Churchill,	Georgia
11th.	Scooner Lloyd, Benjamin Darrell,	Georgia
13th.	Scooner Dolphin, Thomas Bowditch,	Salem
	Sloop Dispatch, Ephraim Gilbert,	Madera
15th.	Scooner Two Sallys, Joseph Morse,	Musquitto-Shore
17th.	Brigt. Charles-Town Packet, Sam. Wright,	Philadelphia
Sept.	Sailed.	
11th.	Ship Liberty, John Lasley,	Falmouth
15th.	Brigt. Cumberland, Charles Henry,	St. Eustatius
	Sloop Harriot, Samuel Dickinson,	
16th.	Sloop Philadelphia-Packet, Obadiah Morgan,	Grenada
	Remain windbound or cleared,	*For*
	Brigt. Diligence (Packet) *Capt. Henry Oglevie,*	Jamaica
	Brigt. Prince of Wales, William Moore,	Philadelphia
	Scooner Adventure, James Jefferys,	Antigua
	Scooner Four Friends, Gilbert Harrison,	Grenada
	Near loaded, or may sail between this and our next.	
	Ship Unity, Robert Norris,	Liverpoole
	Scooner Betsy, Thomas Ellis,	Hispaniola
	Other Vessels in Port.	
	His Maj. Ship Mercury, Sir Tho. Rich C.	
	Ship Sally, Benjamin Berry,	London
	Ship Heart of Oak, Henry Gunn,	
	Ship Queen, John Harrison,	
	Ship Mary-James, Thomas Darling,	London
	Ship Beaufain, John Purchas,	London
	Ship Betsy, William Morgan,	Bristol
	Snow Eagle (Packet) *Capt. William Nicholls,*	Falmouth
	Brigt. Charming Betsy,	
	Brigt. Lovely Jenny, Lawrence Harvey,	
	Brigt. Yorick, Elijah Steel,	
	Scooner Exchange, John Willis,	
	Scooner Fancy, Benjamin Barton,	
	Scooner Betsy,	
	Scooner Two Brothers,	
	Sloop Porgy, Jeremiah Baffett,	
	Arrivals from this Port.	*At*
	Brigt. Vigilant, John Williamson,	Gosport
	Snow Swift, John Thompson,	Poole
	Snow Nancy, Spence Young,	Lisbon
	Brigt. Dominica Packet, Eldridge Aris,	Bristol
	Snow Mercury, John Pearce,	Poole
	Brigt. Dunkirk, John Henderton,	Cowes
	Brigt. Waters, Christopher Dixon,	Whitehaven
	Ship Providence, Andrew Syverson,	Cowes
	Brigt. Friendship, Joseph Blewer,	Philadelphia
	Scooner Margaret, William Bachop,	St Kitts

From GEORGIA. The Prince Frederic, Watt, at Cowes; the Prince George, Hanks; and Charming-Sally, More, at Portsmouth; the Georgia Packet, Souder; and the Molly & Fanny, Buck, at Philadelphia.

From PENSACOLA. The Chester, Lockyer, at London.

New Advertisements.

GEORGE FLAGG,

HAS IMPORTED,

In the last Vessels from LONDON *and* BRISTOL,

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT of PAINTS, OIL, GLASS, *&c.*—Fifty Crates of best Sheet Glass for Pictures, *&c.* with One Hundred Boxes of Glass, *viz.* 9 by 7, 10 by 8, 11 by 9, 12 by 10, 13 by 11, 14 by 10, 16 by 12, to be sold very cheap for *Cash*, at his OIL and COLOUR-SHOP on the BAY:—Where he continues carrying on the PAINTING and GLAZING BUSINESS.

He returns his most grateful Thanks to his Friends for their past Favours, and hopes to merit a Continuance of them, by faithfully executing their Commands; to enable him to do which he intends to keep constantly by him, a Supply of *every necessary Article* in the above Branches.

N. B. TRAIN OIL, the best Sort for INDICO and LEATHER.

CHARLES-TOWN, SEPT. 16, 1772.

ALL Persons that have any Demands against the the Estate of JOHN ROBINSON, late an Officer of His Majesty's Customs, deceased, are desired to send them in, properly attested, to the Subscriber, before the 19th Day of *December* next, as a final Disposal of his Effects will be made that Day. JOHN CORAM, *Executor.*

PARKER & HUTCHINGS

Have imported in the last Vessels from LONDON, BRISTOL, *and* LIVERPOOLE,

An Assortment of fresh GOODS,

Suitable to the present and approaching Season:

Which will be disposed of on the most reasonable Terms, at their Store in CHURCH-STREET, the Corner of *Elliott-Street.*

They have also for SALE,

EXCEEDING fine new-made BUTTER, in Kegs from 20 to 30 Weight, neat; *Carolina* FLOUR; FLAX; COTTON; HEMP; Deer SKINS; TOBACCO in Hogsheads, of the best Quality; BEAVER; TALLOW, and BEES-WAX.

ALSO,

GREEN, Bohea, and exceeding fine Hyson TEA; COFFEE; CHOCOLATE; Loaf and Muscovado SUGAR; *Jamaica, West-India,* and *Northward* RUM; *London* and *New-York* MADERA, and PORT WINE; a few Dozens of very fine ARRACK; best White Wine VINEGAR; fresh FLAX SEED; Linseed, Train, and Lamp OIL; PAINTS and Window GLASS; *English* and *German* STEEL; BAR IRON; Bar and Ploughshare MOULDS; IRON POTS, &c. &c.

COUNTRY PRODUCE will be taken in Payment for any of the above Articles, at the full Market Price.

ST. GEORGE, *(Dorchester)* Sept. 12, 1772.

WHEREAS several Bridges in the Parish of ST. GEORGE, particularly that of DORCHESTER, hath been suffered to go to Decay, insomuch that it must be rebuilt:—THIS IS THEREFORE TO GIVE NOTICE, to any Person willing to undertake the Rebuilding thereof, and the Repair of two others, to view them as soon as possible, and give in their Proposals to the Subscribers.——AND WHEREAS the Neglect of the above Bridges, is attributed to the Default of several Persons not making a Return, nor paying their Assess: *Therefore,* in order to enable the Commissioners to make good their Engagements in future, Notice is hereby given to all Persons interested in the Parish of St. *George, Dorchester,* Resident or Non-Resident, that they are required to make a just Return of all the Males they usually employ therein, from the Age of 16 to 60, on or before the 10th of *October* next, to either of us, Subscribers.

STEPHEN CATER.
BENJAMIN WARING.

N. B. All Persons in Arrears for the former Bridge-Tax, are desired to pay at the same Time they give in their Return.

To be LETT,

Either furnished or unfurnished,

Two good genteel Lodging Rooms,

[illegible] a small Distance of the *Exchange.*

Enquire of the Printers of this Gazette.

To be Sold by private SALE,

A likely, stout NEGRO MAN,

Named SAM, who formerly belonged to Mr. *Glen:* He is a good Carpenter, Cooper, Boatman, and Cook; and his Abilities are inferior to none of his Colour. For Particulars, enquire of JOHN THOMSON.

To be HIRED OUT,

As a WET-NURSE,

A sober, cleanly young WENCH, with a good Breast of Milk. Enquire at the Printing-Office on the *Bay*, near the EXCHANGE.

Francis & Thomas Guerin

CONTINUE THE

FACTORAGE BUSINESS,

And will be much obliged to those who may please to employ them.

A ROBBERY.

WILLIAMSBURG, *in South-Carolina,* JULY 15, 1772.

ABOUT Four o'Clock in the Afternoon of Yesterday, *July* 14th, 1772, came into my House in *Williamsburg*, Two Men, one of them well made, of a dark Complexion, about Five Feet Eight Inches high, between Thirty and Forty Years of Age, somewhat round visaged:—The other, about Two or Three Inches higher, slimmer made, of a dark Complexion, and seemingly some Years younger than the other; which Persons, with Force, broke Ten Locks in the said House, and feloniously took and carried away Three Pocket-Books with a considerable Sum of Money, and Papers of Value; also a Case of Brass-barrelled Pistols, with Holsters; a Quantity of Men's Wearing Apparel, viz. One Suit of dark brown coloured Broad Cloth; another of brown Sagathy, bound with Worsted Ferret; a Pair of red Worsted Shag Breeches; a Crimson-flowered Shag shaped Jacket Pattern; likewise two made Gowns, and several Gown Patterns, with an Assortment of Goods such as Pedlars carry in the Country; a Pinchbeck Watch out of Repair, one Case of Razors with a Brass Lock, only the Looking-Glass not in it; one Bag Wallet made of Duck, No. 1. bound with Leather; one Silver Watch Chain, and a large Silver Seal, with a Cornelian Stone in it. Whoever will apprehend the above Persons, so that they may be brought to Justice, shall receive TWO HUNDRED POUNDS for both, or ONE HUNDRED POUNDS for either of them.

JAMES GAMBLE.

STRAYED or STOLEN,

From the Subscriber's Plantation, about three Weeks ago,

A JACK ASS,

Branded remarkably large upon the Neck EG. Whoever delivers him to JOHN CLARK, the Overseer, shall receive TWO DOLLARS Reward. JOHN WARING.

The following STRAYS were tolled before me, viz.

A Black GELDING, about Fourteen Hands high, aged, a Star in his Forehead, branded on the off Buttock RK, on the off Shoulder with an Anchor, and on the mounting Buttock with a blotched Brand, has lately had a Fistula.

And a dark bay GELDING, about Twelve Hands and an Half high, a small Star in his Forehead, branded on the off Shoulder AT in one. The Owners must apply to, and prove their Property, before WILLIAM MASON, J.P.

A few Bales of Negro-Cloth,

AND

Some good *LONDON* PORTER,

JUST IMPORTED,

To be sold reasonably for Cash, or good Bills of Exchange,

by THOMAS EVELEIGH.

On THURSDAY *the Eighth of* OCTOBER *next*

Will be SOLD at public Vendue,

At the usual Place in CHARLES-TOWN,

Sundry Articles of Wearing-Apparel,

Late the Property of —— WALTON, and sold under Attachment, by Order of the Court of Common Pleas.

ROGER PINCKNEY,
Sheriff for Charles-Town District.

DROPPED,

Between the Quarter-House *and* Charles-Town, *on* SUNDAY EVENING *last,*

A SILVER-PLATED SPUR:

Any Person finding the same, and delivering it to the Printer of this Paper, will be handsomely rewarded.

GEORGE-TOWN, GOAL, August 27th, 1772.

A New NEGRO FELLOW, about five Feet one Inch high, named SAMBO, has been sent to this Goal: He cannot tell his Master's Name; his Country Marks on both Arms, between the Elbow and Wrist.

AUGUST 28th, 1772.

A NEW NEGRO FELLOW, named MONDAY, about five Feet three Inches high, has been sent to this Goal: He cannot tell his Master's Name; has a small Scar on each Cheek, and wears a black Pair of Stocking Breeches, Osnabrugs Shirt, and green Cap.

SEPTEMBER 2d, 1772.

A New NEGRO FELLOW, about five Feet nine Inches high, named JEMMY, has been sent to this Goal: He cannot tell his Master's Name; has two small Scars on his left Brow, and a Scald or Burn on the right; is tail and slim.

SEPTEMBER 9th, 1772.

A New NEGRO FELLOW, about five Feet nine Inches high, well made, named GEORGE, has been sent to this Goal: He cannot tell his Master's Name; both his Arms and Back burnt by falling in the Fire, has on an Osnabrugs Shirt, and short Trowsers.

WILLIAM McLAUGHLIN, *Goaler.*

COUNCIL-CHAMBER, Sept. 2 1772.

Public Notice is hereby given,

THAT His Excellency the GOVERNOR will hear PETITIONS for LAND in the COUNCIL CHAMBER in CHARLES-TOWN, on *Tuesday* the 29th Day of *September* Instant, instead of *Tuesday* the 9th Day of *October* next; and that no Petitions for Land will be heard next Month. *By Order of His Excellency,*

JAMES SIMPSON, C. C.

FRESH.

Kegs of Water-Bread and Flour,

Just imported in Captain MOORE,

To be SOLD,

By JAMES WAKEFIELD.

WOODBERY & LORD

Have just imported, in the Ship SALLY, *Captain* BERRY, *from* BRISTOL,

WHITE and coloured PLAINS; Duffil BLANKETS; white, striped, and red FLANNELS; Mens, Womens, and Boys SADDLES; SHOES of all Sizes, *&c.* which they will sell on the lowest Terms, at their Store on the *Bay.*

Jamieson, Simons, & Comp.

Have just received, by the SALLY, *Captain* BERRY, *from* BRISTOL,

Their SECOND IMPORTATION

OF

White and coloured PLAINS;

AN Assortment of Plantation and Workmens Tools of all Kinds; Nails; Locks, and all Sorts of Ironmongery; Paints; Shot; Saddles:—A Parcel of Cutlery, purchased in *Birmingham* with Money, and will be sold CHEAP, especially to any Person taking a Quantity; Earthen Ware in Crates; long and short Pipes, and empty Jars: Which, with their large and well-assorted STOCK of GOODS on Hand, they will sell on their usual MODERATE TERMS.

ST. MATTHEW'S PARISH, Sept. 5, 1772.

RUN AWAY

From the SUBSCRIBER, on the 27th of *August* last,

Three New NEGRO-FELLOWS, *viz.*

WILL, a stout Fellow, very hairy Limbs, five Feet eight Inches high, his Country Marks on his Breast, and has a down Look.——SAMPSON, a stout Fellow, about five Feet nine or ten Inches high; has a chearful Countenance, and a remarkable smooth Face.——DIBBE, a small Fellow, about five Feet five Inches high, and has his Teeth filed.

They are all very black, and are branded on the left Arm, above the Elbow, BI.—They seem all to be between Twenty-five and Thirty Years of Age, and had on, when they went away, new white plain short Gowns, narrow striped check Shirts, and Wool Hats.—They carried off with them, one Blanket, and three Pair of Trowsers, two Crocus and one Osnabrugs.——A Reward of FIFTEEN POUNDS, and all reasonable Charges, will be paid on the Delivery of the above Negroes, or in Proportion for one, to Mr. WILLIAM EDWARDS, saddler, in Charles-Town; or to the Subscriber, in St. Matthew's Parish.

JOHN SAVAGE.

Mr POWELL,

PERUSING your GAZETTE of the Third Inſtant, I ſaw a Letter, ſigned *A Sufferer by the Meaſles*; in which I am called on to exculpate myſelf and my Employer (Captain *Schermerhorn*) if innocent: I therefore gladly embrace this Opportunity of doing it, in as public a Manner as I am therein called upon.

I was ſent on Shore, by Captain *Schermerhorn*, to Fort *Johnſon*, where I candidly anſwered every Queſtion put to me, viz.

QUESTION I. *Was the Small-Pox, Yellow-Fever, or any other contagious Diſorder at* New-York, *when you left that Place?*

ANSWER.—*No.*

QUESTION II. *Is there any on Board at preſent?*

ANSWER.—*No.*

The above Two were *ALL* the Queſtions that were put to me, though a falſe Report has been induſtriouſly propagated, that I have perjured myſelf, by ſwearing to a *Third*, to wit:

Was any of the above Diſorders on Board during the Paſſage?

I now ſolemnly declare, that no ſuch Queſtion was put to me—for if it had, I would ſooner have loſt my Life, than have anſwered in the Negative, but would have candidly told the Truth.

I can anſwer for Captain *Schermerhorn*, that, had he thought there would have been any Infection left when he arrived here, he would gladly have performed Quarantine, rather than have been the Cauſe of bringing ſo fatal a Diſorder into this Province.

The Infection was brought on Board by one of Mr. *Tenant*'s Children.—I am extremely ſorry for the Gentleman, who ſigned himſelf *A Sufferer by the Meaſles*, and for every other Perſon who has ſuffered by that Diſorder; but am confident, that it was not owing to any Fault or wilful Neglect in Captain *Schermerhorn* or myſelf, as it was the joint Opinion of all the Paſſengers, as well as the Captain and myſelf, that no Infection remained on Board, for the Child had been well near Ten Days before our Arrival here.

I hope that neither Captain *Schermerhorn* or myſelf, have deſerved any Reflections to be caſt on us.

GEORGE FOWLER.

Signed and ſworn before me, this 5th Day of Sept. 1772,
JOHN REMINGTON, *J. P.*

THE CREDITORS of the Eſtate of RICHARD BERESFORD, Eſq; deceaſed, are deſired to ſend in atteſted Accompts; and thoſe indebted to make Payment to ALEXANDER GILLON.

SARAH BERESFORD, *Executrix.*
ROBERT SMITH, } *Executors.*
ALEXANDER GILLON, }

A large Aſſortment of tanned Leather, Negro Shoes, and Bricks, to be ſold by the ſaid *Alexander Gillon.*

THE FOLLOWING LANDS,

Being Part of the Eſtate of Richard Beresford, *Eſq; deceaſed,*

Will be SOLD by public Outcry,

At the Vendue-Houſe in CHARLES-TOWN, *on* THURSDAY *the 8th Day of* October *next, on Twelve Months Credit, paying Intereſt with approved Security, viz.*

BERESFORD's WHARF,

Which now brings in about Three Thouſand Pounds per Annum.

A Low-Water Lot, joining *Wragg*'s Wharf, Seventy-eight Feet Front.

A Low Water Lot fronting *Granville*'s Baſtion, Ninety-ſeven Feet Front.

Two LOTS in *King Street, Charles-Town*, viz.

One on the Eaſt Side, Thirty-three Feet and an Half by Two Hundred and Twenty five, on which is a good Brick Tenement, 17 Feet by 32, rented to *James Wright* at 250l. per Annum.

The other on the Weſt Side, Twenty-nine Feet and an Half by One Hundred and Nineteen, on which likewiſe is a Brick Tenement, 16 Feet 9 Inches by 32, rented to the Widow *Holmes* at 250l. per Annum.

Four Lots on the North Side of *Beresford*'s Alley, *VIZ.*

No. 1, the eaſternmoſt Lot, Twenty Feet by Ninety-five Feet eight Inches; Back-Line 17 Feet 5 Inches, on which is a Brick Tenement, 16 Feet by 32 4 Inches, and a large Wooden Billiard Room over the Kitchen, rented to *Rebecca Rutledge* at 350l. per Annum.

No. 2, ſituated to the Weſtward of No. 1, Eighteen Feet 2 Inches by Ninety-five Feet 8 Inches; Back-Line 19 Feet 1 Inch, on which is a Brick Tenement 18 Feet 2 Inches by 32 4 Inches, rented to *Thomas Ham* at 230l. per Annum.

No. 3, adjoining No. 2, Eighteen Feet by Ninety-five Feet 8 Inches; Back-Line 20 Feet, on which is a Brick Tenement 18 Feet by 32 4 Inches, rented at 250l. per Annum.

No. 4, adjoining No. 3, Twenty Feet by Ninety-five Feet 8 Inches; Back-Line 25 Feet 2 Inches, on which is a Brick Tenement 16 Feet by 32 4 Inches, rented to *Zachariah Villepontoux* at 250l. per Annum.

A CORNER LOT

On the Eaſt Side of *Archdale* and North Side of *Beresford*'s Streets, Twenty-eight Feet by One Hundred and Nineteen, on which is a Wooden Building, 26 Feet by 16½, divided into two Tenements, rented to *Margaret Ernſt* at 180l. per Annum.

A CORNER LOT

On the Eaſt Side of *Archdale* and South Side of *Beresford*'s Streets, Twenty-eight Feet by One Hundred and Nineteen, on which is a Wooden Tenement, 28 Feet by 18, rented to *Gilbert Chalmers* at 160l. per Annum.

A Lot to the Southward of the laſt-mentioned, and of the ſame Dimenſions, on which is a Wooden Tenement, 25½ Feet by 25, rented to *Ferdinand Fiſher* and *Mathias Wolfe* at 160l. per Annum.

A Lot on the South Side of *Beresford*'s Street, Forty-nine Feet by Eighty-four, on which is a Wooden Tenement 27 Feet by 18, rented at 160l. per Annum.

Three LOTS in *George Town*, viz.

No. 43, Fifty Feet by One Hundred and Seventeen Feet and an Half, on *Front-Street*

No. 44, of the ſame Dimenſions, and on the ſame Street.

No. 70, One Hundred Feet by One Hundred and Seventeen Feet Nine-tenths, on *Prince-Street.*

At the ſame Time and Place will alſo be ſold, on the like Conditions with the above Lands,

ALL that valuable Stock of CATTLE upon *Coſawhatchie* (formerly *Mackewn's*); with the Horſes and Thirty Acres of Proviſions.

The Half of another valuable Stock of Cattle at *Santee*, formerly belonging to *William Flud.*

SARAH BERESFORD, *Executrix.*
ROBERT SMITH, } *Executors.*
ALEXANDER GILLON, }

THE FOLLOWING LANDS,

Belonging to the Eſtate of Richard Beresford, *Eſq; deceaſed,*

(Equal, perhaps, to any in the Province)

Will be Sold by private Contract,

And the Terms of Payment made eaſy to the Purchaſers, *viz.*

In ST. THOMAS's PARISH.

BERESFORD's HALL;

Containing One Thouſand Three Hundred Acres, on which is a Tan Yard, equal to any on this Continent, and ſome very good Buildings.

CLOUTER's—Containing Four Hundred and Twenty Acres.

GODDARD's ISLAND—Containing Three Hundred Acres.

CODNER's—Containing Six Hundred and Twenty-three Acres.

PADGET's—Containing Seven Hundred and Fifty Acres, makes about Seven Hundred Thouſand Bricks yearly.

DEHAY's—Containing Eight Hundred and Fifty Acres.

CAINHOY—Containing Two Hundred Acres.

TARKINGTON—Containing Eight Hundred and Twenty Acres—On this Tract is a large Brick Kiln.

In the Pariſhes of *Chriſt-Church & St. Thomas.*

CHARLEY-WOOD PLANTATION,

Conſiſting of the following Tracts, *viz.*—WELLS's, 300 Acres;—CHARLEY-WOOD, 1010 Acres;—FLAGGER's, 400 Acres;—STRAWBERRY and MURREL's ISLAND, 810 Acres; CAT-ISLAND, 125 Acres;—FOISSIN's, 1000 Acres:—In all Three Thouſand Seven Hundred and Fifteen Acres; of which Fourteen Hundred Acres is exceeding fine *Rice Land.*

In HELL-HOLE SWAMP.

Three Thouſand Seven Hundred and Thirty-four Acres, in two Tracts of 2834 and 900.

At BEAVER-CREEK.

Two Tracts, of Three Hundred Acres each.

At TWELVE-MILE CREEK.

Two Tracts, of Two Hundred and Fifty Acres each.

At SANTEE, *on the South weſt Side of the River.*

One Tract of Two Hundred and Twenty-ſeven Acres:—One Ditto of Three Hundred and Twenty-ſeven Acres; and one Ditto of Five Hundred Acres.

On the South Side of the River.

Two Tracts of Seven Hundred and Ninety two, and One Hundred and Twenty-eight Acres, Three Hundred Acres of which is prime Swamp.

At HALF WAY CREEK, in *Craven* County.

One Thouſand Acres, in two Tracts of Five Hundred Acres each.

In *Berkley* County, North Side of *Ediſto* River.

Six Hundred and Fifty Acres, bounded South-weſt on ſaid River; North-weſt on *William Vaughan*, and *William Fuller*'s Cowpen; North-eaſt on *William Cattell*'s Cowpen; South eaſt on *Thomas Gale*, and Part on vacant Land; granted to *Sarah Blakeway.*

On *Black River, Williamſburo, Craven* County.

Five Hundred Acres, bounding South-eaſt on *James Pollard*, on all other ſides on vacant Land.

A Lot in the ſaid Town of *Williamſburo*, containing an Acre, No. 8, granted to *Ann Bellinger.*

SARAH BERESFORD, *Executrix.*
ROBERT SMITH, } *Executors.*
ALEXANDER GILLON, }

To be SOLD a

A LOT of LAND

With ſeveral Tenements thereon, fronting on [illegible] Forty Feet in Length, and One Hundred and Thirty-five Depth.

Two TRACTS of LAND;

Three Hundred Acres in *Craven* County, and One Hundred and Fifty in *Boonesborough* Townſhip.

Two NEGRO-WENCHES;

One Eighteen Years of Age, and the other Sixteen—both Seamſtreſſes, and the Firſt a good Houſe-Wench.——For further Particulars apply to the Subſcriber, who will make the Terms of Payment agreeable to the Purchaſer, upon giving approved Security.

MONEY wanted at Intereſt,

From Five Hundred Pounds Currency, to Fifteen Thouſand Pounds Sterling, in different Sums, upon the beſt Security, and at no Expence to the Lender.

THE Creditors of the Eſtate of GEORGE CARPENTER, deceaſed, are requeſted to ſend in an Account of their Demands, properly atteſted, to the Subſcriber; who being impowered, propoſes to make a Dividend as ſoon as the Claims on the ſaid Eſtate can be aſcertained, and which he deſires may be done by the 15th of *November* next, or ſuch Creditors as omit to ſend in their Accounts as aforeſaid, muſt expect to be excluded any Share of the Dividend.—Thoſe ſtill indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to make immediate Payment.

ALSO,

THE Creditors of SAMUEL WISE, who have hitherto been remiſs in ſending their Accounts to the Subſcriber (as deſired by former Advertiſements) are ONCE MORE requeſted to do the ſame, in order to have a Settlement—which the Subſcriber intends ſhall be done immediately after that of the Eſtate of GEORGE CARPENTER is completed (Mr. WISE being Adminiſtrator thereto) or they will likewiſe be excluded any Share in the Dividend.

LIKEWISE,

THE Creditors of CALEB EASTON, deceaſed, are deſired to call on the Subſcriber, on or after the fifth Day of *October* next, to receive Payment.

JACOB VALK.

TO be SOLD,

On TUESDAY *the 5th of* OCTOBER *next,*

At the uſual Place in CHARLES-TOWN,

PART of the ESTATE of the late Doctor JACOB-NICHOLAS SCHWARZTKOPFF; conſiſting of five valuable NEGROES, *viz.* a Fellow that has been brought up by the Doctor from a Boy, to tend in his Shop, and is capable of performing many Cures, which will render him ſerviceable on any large Plantation, where a great Numbers of Negroes are employed;—alſo a Wench, that is a good Cook, Waſher, and Ironer.—The Reſt are common Porters.——The Conditions of the Sale are, Twelve Months Credit, with Security, and Intereſt from the Day of Sale.—The Property not to be altered, till the above Conditions are complied with.

ALL Perſons indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are deſired to make immediate Payment; and all thoſe to whom the ſaid Eſtate is legally indebted, are deſired to call with their Accounts, properly atteſted, for Payment, on

Mary-Magdalen Schwartzkopff, Executrix.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

By His Excellency the Right Honourable Lord CHARLES-GREVILLE MONTAGU, *Captain-General, Governor, and Commander in Chief, in and over the ſaid Province, and Vice-Admiral of the ſame,*

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, by the Continuation of the Boundary Line between this Province and *North-Carolina*, which has lately been run, in Purſuance of His MAJESTY's INSTRUCTIONS to the Governors of both Provinces, ſeveral Plantations which have been ſettled by Virtue of Grants from the Governor of *North-Carolina*, fall within this Government. IN ORDER to preſerve to the Proprietors of ſuch Grants, the equitable Right they have to the Lands mentioned therein, I DO, by the Advice of His Majeſty's Council, iſſue this my Proclamation; HEREBY STRICTLY FORBIDDING all the Deputy-Surveyors of this Province, from laying any Warrant on Lands for which Grants have been obtained in *North-Carolina*: AND notifying to all Perſons poſſeſſed of, or intitled unto, ſuch Grants, that they may have Grants for the ſame from this Government, on their producing ſuch Grants, without their perſonal Attendance at *Charles-Town*, provided Application is made for the ſame within *Twelve Months* from the Date hereof.

GIVEN under my Hand, and the Great Seal of the ſaid Province, at Charles-Town, *this Nineteenth Day of* June, *Anno Domini* 1772, *and in the Twelfth Year of His Majeſty's Reign.*

Charles-Greville Montagu.

By His Excellency's Command,
THOMAS SKOTTOWE, *Secretary.*

A young MAN is WANTED,

Who is qualified to act as a Store-Keeper and Clerk, in Town. He muſt write a clear legible Hand with Expedition.—Conſtant Attendance will be required; and a good Recommendation for Sobriety and Application to Buſineſs. Such a one, and no other need apply, will meet with very genteel Wages. Enquire at the Printing-Office, near the EXCHANGE.

ANY Perſon willing to contract for Lighting the public LAMPS in CHARLES-TOWN, is deſired to deliver in PROPOSALS, as ſoon as poſſible, to

GEORGE SHEED, Commiſſary-General.

On TUESDAY,

The 29th *Day of* SEPTEMBER *Inſt.*

Will be SOLD, at public Vendue,

at the uſual Place in CHARLES-TOWN,

A valuable Plantation or Tract of Land,

[illegible] Acres, more or leſs, ſituate in *Berk-*[illegible] Townſhip; bounding, to the Eaſt [illegible] *Galman*'s Land; to the Weſt and [illegible]'s Land; to the South and South-[illegible], on *Henry Galman*'s Land; and North-Weſt, by *Santee* River.—Granted *October* 30, 1767.

Likewiſe, One Hundred Acres of Land in the ſaid County and Townſhip; bounding, to the North and North-Weſt, on *David Webb* and *Henry Weaver*'s Land; to the North-Eaſt, on *George Haig* and *Henry Galman*'s Land; and [illegible] on *John Gieger*'s Land; and on all other [illegible] the original Grant, the

[illegible] ownſhip, known by [illegible] *ohn Freymouth*, and ſold under Execution,

ROGER PINCKNEY, *late Pro. Mar.*

At the ſame Time and Place will alſo be SOLD,

One Hundred and Fifty Acres of Land,

Situate in *Craven* County; butting and bounding, to the South-Eaſt, on Land of *Joſhua Cherry*, and on all other Sides, on vacant Land, at the Time of the original Grant, dated *May* 2, 1770: Late the Property of *Matthew Gibbes*, and ſold under Execution, by ROGER PINCKNEY, *late Pro. Mar.*

To be SOLD,

And may be taken into Poſſeſſion by the Firſt of November *next,*

A Tract of Land on *Wadmelah* Iſland,

Adjoining the Plantation where the Subſcriber reſides, and contains, by Computation, between ſix and ſeven Hundred Acres. Above One-Half of the ſaid Tract is uncleared, ſtands thick in heavy Oak and Hickory Timber; and the Whole eſteemed, by good Judges, equal in Quality to any Lands on thoſe Iſlands, for the Planting of Corn, Rice, and Indico.

Any Perſon inclinable to become a Purchaſer, may apply to the Subſcriber; or, in his Abſence, to Mr. THOMAS LADSON, on *John*'s Iſland.

One, two, or three Years Credit will be given, if required, for the Payment of the Purchaſe-Money, on giving Bond, with approved Security, to JAMES CARSON.

TAKEN AWAY,

By a NEGRO, ſome Time in JUNE laſt,

A CHESNUT GELDING,

About fourteen Hands and an Half high, branded on the mounting Shoulder LM. Whoever delivers him to Mr. CREIGHTON, in Charles-Town, or to me at WALLACE's BRIDGE, ſhall receive TWENTY POUNDS Reward, and all reaſonable Charges. THOMAS HARCOMBE.

St. John's Pariſh, Aug. 30, 1772.

The following STRAYS *have been telled me, viz.*

A Bay GELDING, about thirteen Hands high, nine Years old, has four white Feet, and a ſmall Star in his Forehead; branded with Something nearly reſembling an E.

A ſorrel GELDING, about thirteen Hands and an Half high, branded on the mounting Shoulder W.

A light bay MARE, thirteen Hands high, about ten Years old, with four white Feet, and a Star in her Forehead; branded on the mounting Shoulder X, and has a blotched Brand on the off Shoulder.—A natural Pacer.

A bay MARE, thirteen Hands and and an Half high, about eight Years old, with a ſmall Star in her Forehead; branded on the mounting Shoulder R, and TK in one, and on the mounting Buttock O.

Alſo, Three COWS—one an old brown Cow, branded TS, and marked with a ſhort Crop in [illegible] Half of it ſlit [illegible] marked with a [illegible] third is a brow[illegible] a Slit in both [illegible]

The Owne[illegible] their Property [illegible]

SUPPLEMENT to the South-Carolina GAZETTE.

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On the Vanity of being diſſatisfied with our own Happineſs, and envying that of another.

Abſtract what others feel, what others think,
All pleaſures ſicken, and all glories ſink;
Each has his ſhare; and who would more obtain,
Shall find, the pleaſure pays not half the pain. POPE.

THE writers who have undertaken the taſk of reconciling mankind to their preſent ſtate, and of relieving the diſcontent produced by the various diſtribution of terreſtrial advantages, very frequently remind us that we judge too haſtily of good and evil, that we view only the ſuperficies of life, and determine of the whole by a very ſmall part; and that in the condition of men it frequently happens, that grief and fear, anxiety and deſire, lie hid under the golden robes of proſperity, and the gloom of calamity is often cheered by ſecret radiations of hope and comfort; as in the works of nature the bog is frequently covered with flowers, and the mine concealed in the barren crags.

Though none but thoſe who have not learned the art of ſubjecting their ſenſes as well as their reaſon to hypothetical ſyſtems, will be perſuaded by the moſt ſpecious rhetorician that the lots of life are equal; yet it cannot be denied, that every one has his pleaſures and vexations, that external accidents operate variouſly on different minds, and that no man can exactly judge from his own ſenſations, what another would feel in the ſame circumſtances.

If the general diſpoſition of things be eſtimated by the repreſentation which every one makes of his own ſtate, the world muſt be conſidered as the abode of ſorrow and miſery; for how few can forbear to relate their own troubles and diſtreſſes? If we judge by the account which may be obtained of every man's fortune from others, it may be concluded, that we are all placed in an *Elyſian* region, overſpread with the luxuriance of plenty, and fanned by the breezes of felicity, ſince ſcarcely any complaint is uttered without cenſure from thoſe that hear it; and almoſt every man is allowed to have obtained a proviſion at leaſt adequate to his virtue or his underſtanding, and to poſſeſs either more than he deſerves, or more than he enjoys.

We are either born with ſuch diſſimilitude of temper and inclinations, or receive ſo many of our ideas and opinions from the ſtate of life in which we are engaged, or the particular objects by which we are ſurrounded, that the griefs o[illegible] of one part of mankind ſeem to the other hypocriſy, a[illegible] and folly; every claſs of ſociety has its cant of la[illegible] which is underſtood or regarded by none but themſe[illegible] every part of life has its uneaſineſſes, which thoſe wh[illegible] feel them will not commiſerate. An event which ſpreads terror and diſtraction over half the commercial world, that aſſembles the trading companies in councils and committees, and ſinks the hearts and ſhakes the nerves of a thouſand ſtock-jobbers, is read by the landlord and the farmer with frigid indifference. An affair of love, which fills the young breaſt with inceſſant alternations of hope and fear, and ſteals away the night and day from every other pleaſure and employment, is regarded by them whoſe paſſions time has extinguiſhed, as a trivial amuſement, w[illegible] can properly raiſe neither joy, nor ſorrow; and which, th[illegible] it may be ſuffered to fill the vacuity of an idle moment, ſ[illegible] always give way to prudence and intereſt.

He that never had any other deſire than to fill a cheſt with money, or to add another manor to his eſtate; who never grieved but at a bad mortgage, or entered a company but to make a bargain; would be aſtoniſhed to hear of beings known among the polite and gay, by the denomination of wits. How would he gape with curioſity, or grin with contempt, at the mention of men who have no wiſh but to ſpeak what was never ſpoke before, who, if they happen to inherit wealth, often exhauſt their patrimonies in treating thoſe who will hear them talk, and, if they are poor, neglect a thouſand opportunities of improving their fortunes for the pleaſure of making others laugh? How ſlowly would he believe that there are men who would rather loſe a legacy than the reputation of a diſtich, who think it leſs diſgrace to want money than repartee, whom the vexation of having been foiled in a conteſt of raillery is ſometimes ſufficient to deprive of ſleep, and who would eſteem it a lighter evil to miſs a profitable bargain, by ſome accidental delay, than not to have thought of a ſmart reply till the time of producing it was paſt? How little would he ſuſpect that this child of idleneſs and frolick entered every aſſembly, with a beating boſom, like a champion deputed to the combat, and revolved the probability of applauſe with all the anxiety of a conſpirator; that at the hour of retirement he often carried home, amidſt all his airy negligence, a heart lacerated with envy, or depreſſed with diſappointment, and immured himſelf in his cloſet, that he might diſentangle his memory at leiſure, review the progreſs of the day, ſtate with accuracy his loſs or gain of reputation, and examine the cauſes of his failure or ſucceſs.

Yet more remote from common conceptions is the numerous and reſtleſs train of anxities, by which female happineſs is particularly diſturbed. A ſolitary philoſopher would imagine ladies exempt from care and ſorrow, lulled in perpetual ſecurity, and feaſted with unmingled pleaſure; for what can interrupt the content of thoſe, upon whom one age has laboured after another to confer honours, and accumulate immunities; thoſe to whom all rudeneſs is infamy, and inſult is cowardice; whoſe eye commands the brave, and whoſe ſmile ſoftens the ſeyere; whom the ſailor travels to adorn, the ſold[illegible]r bleeds to defend, and the poet wears out life to celebrate; who claim tribute from every art and ſcience, and for whom all who approach them endeavour to refine delicacy, or multiply delights, without requiring from them any return but willingneſs to be pleaſed?

Surely, among theſe favourites of nature, thus acquainted with toil and danger, felicity muſt have fixed her reſidence; they muſt know only the changes of more vivid or more gentle joys; their life muſt always move either to the ſlow or ſprightly melody of the lyre of gladneſs; they can never aſſemble but to pleaſure, or retire but to peace.

Such ſhould be the thoughts of every man who ſhall hover at a diſtance round the world, and know it only by conjecture and ſpeculation. But experience will ſoon diſcover how eaſily thoſe are diſguſted who have been made nice by luxury, and tender by indulgence. He will ſoon ſee to how many dangers power is expoſed, which has no other guard than beauty; and how eaſily [illegible]ed, which can only be ſoothed with the [illegible]npoſſible to ſupply wants as faſt as an [illegible]: able to form them, or to remove all inconveniencies by which impatience may be offended. None are ſo hard to pleaſe as thoſe whom ſatiety of pleaſure makes weary of themſelves; nor any ſo readily provoked as thoſe who have been always courted with an emulation of civility.

There are indeed ſome ſtrokes which the envy of fate aims immediately at the fair. The miſtreſs of *Catullus* wept for her ſparrow many centuries ago, and lap-dogs in the preſent age will be ſometimes ſick. The moſt faſhionable brocade is ſubject to ſtains; a pinner, the pride of *Bruſſels*, may be torn by a careleſs waſher; a picture may drop from a watch, or the triumph of a new ſuit may be interrupted in the firſt day of its enjoyment, and all diſtinctions of dreſs be unexpectedly obliterated by a general mourning.

Such is the ſtate of every age, every ſex, and every condition; all have their cares, either from nature or from folly; and whoever therefore finds himſelf inclined to envy another, ſhould remember that he knows not the real condition which he deſires to obtain, and that, by indulging a vicious paſſion, he muſt leſſen that happineſs which he thinks already too ſparingly beſtowed.

Charles-Town, July 14, 1772.

THE Subſcriber is much obliged to his planting Friends, who, by landing their Crops at his Wharf for three Years paſt, have thereby introduced itto Buſineſs.—He acted as Factor during that Time, purely to prevent his Friends being Sufferers by their intended Kindneſs to him, as it was very induſtriouſly inſinuated, that Rice would not ſell at his Wharf: But as he is now well convinced, and flatters himſelf all his Friends are fully ſo too, that their Crops, landed in large or *ſmall* Parcels, will ſell altogether as well at his Wharf, as at any other in *Charles-Town*; and that any Gentlemen, principally concerned in the Factorage Way, will now have no Objection to receive and ſell Rice or Indico landed thereat: He therefore chooſes to decline that Buſineſs, finding it more than he is able to go through. He hopes his good Friends will ſtill land their Crops at his Wharf, where they may depend he ſhall take Care HIMSELF that their Boats have all poſſible Diſpatch.

As to the Safety and Conveniency of his Docks and Stores, he is ſure there are none preferable to them in Town in thoſe Reſpects, and few (if any) Barns in the Country are cooler and more ſecure from Fire; and it is almoſt impoſſible for a Barrel [illegible] ping at his Wharf. [illegible]*tly*, may depend on [illegible] not like the going [illegible]nvinced, that this is [illegible], as many, for theſe three Years paſt, have had their Crops (when landed in Town) diſpoſed of very much againſt their own Inclinations and Judgments, merely for Want of Storage; and this he is ſure has been the Caſe, particularly this Year ſeveral Times, notwithſtanding the Shortneſs of the Crop.

Meſſrs. GIBBES & HORT,

Who have had long Experience in the FACTORAGE BUSINESS in all its Branches, and confine themſelves to that *only*, have tranſact their Buſineſs [illegible]egs Leave to recom- [illegible]herwiſe engaged.

[illegible] *Gadſden.*

N. B. Any Gentlemen in Trade may depend on not wanting STORAGE for ſuch Parcels of Rice as they purchaſe at his Wharf.

GIBBES & HORT,

ACQUAINT THEIR FRIENDS,

THAT THEY CONTINUE THE

Factorage Buſineſs in all its Branches,

(ON THE USUAL TERMS)

AND, for the Convenience of good Storage, will tranſact it on Captain GADSDEN's WHARF; where they deſire ſuch of their Friends, as it may be agreeable to, will order the Goods they intend to favour them with, being convinced, that they will ſell as well there, as at any other Place in CHARLES-TOWN.——Conſtant Attendance will alſo be given at their other Compting-Houſe on the BAY.

Their Friends will be ſupplied with proper Boats agreeable to their Orders: And they hope to merit a Continuance of their Favours, by a ſteady Attention to their Employers Intereſt, eſpecially as they are determined to confine themſelves to the Factorage Buſineſs only.—And they aſſure their Friends, that they are not in any Wiſe intereſted in Captain GADSDEN's Stores; ſo that whenever they ſhall think it neceſſary to ſtore for a better Market, it muſt be SOLELY with a View to their Friends Intereſt.

N. B. WANTED, to attend on the ſaid Wharf, a Perſon well qualified and recommended.

To be SOLD,

On FRIDAY *the 25th of* SEPTEMBER *Inſtant,*

A CARGO

Of upwards of One Hundred

PRIME

SLAVES,

(In GOOD HEALTH)

JUST arrived in the Brigantine LOVELY JENNY, LAWRANCE HARVEY, Maſter,

(On the USUAL TERMS)

By EDWARDS, FISHER, & Co.

Charles-Town, Sept. 9, 1772.

MAREDANT's Antiſcorbutic Drops May be had at the Printing-Office near the Exchange.

WAKEFIELD,

At his Store in BROAD-STREET,

HAS IMPORTED,

In the laſt Veſſels from LONDON *and* BRISTOL,

A CARGO of GOODS,

VIZ.

A GREAT VARIETY

OF

LINEN-DRAPERY in General,

WITH A VERY GREAT CHOICE OF

New printed Linens, Cottons, and Calicoes,

AND

FURNITURE COTTONS,

From 16*s.* 3*d.* to 67*s.* 6*d.* per Yard, immediately purchaſed from the Printing Grounds.

Amongſt the many Articles of Haberdaſhery,

Uſually imported, ſhall particularize,

Perſian, Satin, Breadth Stuff, And black Ruſſel } *Petticoats.* | Drab, Duffil, and Cloth } *Cardinals.*

A great Variety of Satins, Peelings, Sarſenets, Alamodes, Gauzes, Catgut, Netting, Gaure Handkerchiefs, gloſſy Linens, black Blond, and Thread Laces, Tapes, Wig-Cauls, Pins, and Buttons.

A large Aſſortment of MILLENARY,

Will chooſe, and of the neweſt Faſhions:

Ladies Dreſs and Undreſs Caps and Hoods, and Neck Dreſſes; | Hats, Cloaks, and Tereſa's;
Girl's open worked Caps, Stomachers, and Sleeve Knots; | Chip Hats;
Feather Sultans, and *Italian* Flowers; | Open Chip;
Complete Sets of Minionet; | Skeleton & Cap Wire.
Ditto, trimmed with Edging Tombour, very elegant;
Suits of Girls Linen;
Book-Muſlin, ſpotted and ſprigged, with an Edging;
Black Patent Net Aprons, trimmed with broad Edging;
Complete Suits of Tombour Work, Aprons, Ruffles, and Handkerchiefs, with Gentlemen's Ruffles to ſell ſeparate, from 10*l.* to 120*l.*
A great Choice of Muſlin and Muſlin Handkerchiefs;
Lawn Aprons, Handkerchiefs, and Ruffles;
The neweſt faſhioned Ladies Riding-Hats, Turbant Gold trimmed;
White Oſtrich Huſſar Feathers, with a Plume;
Boys Hats, Turbant trimmed, Gold ſpangled Lace, with Feather.

New coloured Broad Cloths, Caſimirs, and *German* Serges, with Gold and Silver Waiſtcoats Shapes;
Gold Net Gauze Lace and Buttons;
Venetian, Marquiſites, with Drops and Stars, and Coque de Pearl Ear-Rings.

A LARGE CONSIGNMENT

OF

NEW FASHIONED SILKS,

From a Manufacturer, and will be ſold as CHEAP *as can be bought in* LONDON.

A complete Aſſortment of HOSIERY,

AND

NEW FASHIONED RIBANDS,

WITH

White, brown, & green Plains & Duffils,

All of a very good Quality.

4*d.* 5*d.* 6*d.* 8*d.* 10*d.* and 20*d.* NAILS.

Theſe, with a large IMPORTATION expected by the firſt Veſſels from LONDON, will enable him to SELL by

WHOLESALE as well as RETAIL,

Upon his uſual LOW PRICES, being purchaſed with *Caſh* from the Manufactories.

Mr. WAKEFIELD is much obliged to his Friends for the many Favours conferred, and they may depend on having their Orders faithfully and immediately executed.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP OF

HEWET & LYNCH,

BEING EXPIRED,

THE SUBSCRIBER begs Leave to inform the Public, That he has now entered into Buſineſs for himſelf, on the North Side of the *White-Meeting*, where he carries on the COACH and CHAIR-MAKING BUSINESS, in as complete a Manner as can be performed in this Province; and ſolicits the Cuſtom of thoſe Gentlemen and others, who were pleaſed to employ the late Company; to merit which, the greateſt Care and Expedition will be uſed, in executing the Orders they may be pleaſed to favour him with.

GEORGE HEWET.

N. B. He has erected a complete and large Range of COACH-HOUSES, for the Reception of Gentlemen's Carriages that may come to be repaired, in Order to prevent their receiving any Injury from the Weather.——Gentlemen may have their Carriages ſtand by the Year, on very reaſonable Terms.

*** He has to diſpoſe of, ſundry CHAIRS and CHAISES, with Harneſs, which will be ſold remarkable cheap for *Caſh*:—Alſo a light PHEATON, with Harneſs.

CHARLES-TOWN, Auguſt 30, 1772.

THE Subſcriber's Shop was broke open laſt Night, and two Saws, and ſundry other Carpenter's Tools taken out:—One a Hand-Saw, the other a Pannel-Saw, both marked with a Brand on the Handle G. FLEESON, and on the Plate, with Aquafortis, G. FLEESON, *Philadelphia*, 1771.——Whoever will deliver the ſaid Saws to me, ſhall receive a DOLLAR Reward, and a GUINEA for apprehending the Thief;—to be paid on Conviction, by

JONATHAN HOOD.

Hawkins, Petrie, & Co.

Have just received by the PORTLAND, *Captain* WILSON, *from* LONDON,

A large Value of Dry Goods:

AMONG WHICH ARE,

A Great Quantity of IRISH LINENS, from 5*s.* to 60*s.* per Yard and Sheeting from 7*s.* 6*d.* to 35*s.*—All Sorts of Huckabacks, Diapers, Damasks, and Tabling, a few compleat Sets of each very elegant:—A great Choice of printed Handkerchiefs, Linens, Calicoes, Cottons, and Furnitures, which they have now directly from the Printing-Ground of Mr. *Hawkins* in *England*, and will sell much lower than common:—Plain and worked Lawns in Pieces and Suits; plain, striped, checked, and flowered Muslins; plain and flowered Book Muslins; Suits of worked Muslins, entirely new Patterns, and some very rich:—Loom Quilting; *English* and *India* Dimities; white and coloured Fustians; bleached, brown, and dyed Drabs; *Irish*, *Scotch*, and *German* Osnabrugs; best *Flanders* and common Bed-Ticks; Stripes; Checks, and all Sorts of *Manchester*, *German*, and *Russia* Goods; with a Chest of very cheap brown Hollands, and Linen-Drapery in General.

ALSO,

A Great ASSORTMENT of Taffeties, Persians, Chints, Ginghams, plain and flowered Modes, Sarsenets, Peelongs, and Sattins of all Colours, Ribands, Gauzes, Nettings, and Laces of every Kind; Sieve and Chip Hats; Stuff and Silk Coats, some of the very best Sorts; Bombasines, Crapes, Mourning Gloves, and all Mourning Articles; Thread, Cotton, and Silk Hose, of all Sizes; Worsted and Silk Breeches Pieces, of an extra Quality and large Sizes; three, four, and six Thread Worsted Webs, &c.—Which are well bought, and will be sold very cheap, especially for Cash; with their usual Allowance to those who buy to sell again.—They have added much to their former Stock, in Order to supply in the Wholesale Way, and to afford the greatest Variety to their other Customers.

Loaf Sugar, Hyson Tea, Green Tea (Bohea Tea, at 25*s.*) all of the very best Quality; a Quantity of best *London* White Lead, and other Paints, much under the common Price.

Hawkins, Petrie, & Comp.

Have imported in the Liberty, *Captain* Lasley,

A LARGE ASSSORTMENT OF

White and Coloured PLAINS,

Pennistones, Flannels, and Duffils.

And in the HEART-OF-OAK, *from* LONDON,

A further Supply of fine Goods:

PART OF WHICH ARE,

A Considerable Value in Silk Damasks; plain *English* Silks, of different Sorts; newest fashioned *Pantheon* Silks, for Cloaks and Hats; Ribands; Laces; Gold and Silver Thread:—A neat Assortment of Broad Cloths, Casimirs, and Sagathies, with Trimmings; Princes Stuffs of different Qualities:—A considerable Value in Cambricks and Lawns, bought a Bargain, and will be sold very CHEAP:—All Sorts of printed Goods, among which is a very curious Sett of Bed-Furniture; very fine purple Linens, Cottons, and Calicoes; *Wilton* Carpeting; Camblets, Calamancoes, and other Stuffs: Which, with their large CARGO received by the PORTLAND, Captain WILSON, make their Assortment the compleatest they ever yet had.

They have also by the above Vessels,

A VERY LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

Locks, Hooks, and Hinges, Glass, Paints,

AND ALL OTHER

BUILDING ARTICLES:

All which will be sold on the VERY LOWEST TERMS.

SILKS.

A very great Choice,

To be SOLD (during this Month)

At *Nine* for *One*, six Months Credit,

By ROGER SMITH.

JAMAICA and Windward-Island RUM; Muscovado SUGAR; COFFEE in small Casks; a few Planks of *Jamaica* MAHOGANY; old HOCK in Bottles; an Assortment of *Bridport* CANVAS, from No. 1 to 6, and two NEGRO HOUSE-WENCHES, to be SOLD, by

Robert, John, & J. Smyth.

OLD JAMAICA RUM in Hogsheads and Porter Casks, fit for immediate Use; BARBADOS and GRENADA RUM in Hogsheads; a Quantity of very old VIDONIA WINE of the best Quality; a large Assortment of SQUARE and FLAT IRON; MUSCOVADO SUGAR in Hogsheads and Barrels; a few Boxes of SPERMACETI CANDLES; a fresh Assortment of SAIL CLOTH, consisting of Bridport, East Coker, Kirkham, Russia and Raven's; ANCHORS and GRAPNELS of all Sizes; a large Quantity of SEINE and SAIL TWINE; Philadelphia SUPERFINE FLOUR; SHIP BREAD, and WINDSOR CHAIRS of all Sorts; GLAUBER and EPSOM SALTS in Kegs; Ground SPANISH BROWN and WHITE LEAD; and a Quantity of INDIAN CORN, to be sold by

Shirley & Price.

THE Owner of a new NEGRO MAN, (about five Feet, eight Inches high, Country Marks on his Face and Shoulders, upper Teeth filed, and remarkably hairy about the Legs and Thighs) has hereby Notice, that the said Slave, on the 14th Instant, in Company with another, being pursued in the Subscriber's Corn Field, and endeavouring to escape, was shot at by the Watchman, and unfortunately received a Wound in the Back, of which the said Slave, notwithstanding the best Assistance was procured, died the third Day following.

August 20, 1772. ELIAS BALL, *of* ST. JOHN'S.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

CROWN-OFFICE, JULY 23th, 1772.

WHEREAS the JUSTICES of the PEACE for the more remote Parts of this Province, do continue to commit *all* Prisoners to *Charles-Town Goal*, without having Respect to the *District* in which the Offence wherewith they are charged was *committed*, which renders it necessary to *remove* the said Offenders to their respective Districts, there to be tried agreeable to the Directions of the *Circuit-Court Act*, with Inconvenience to themselves, and at a great Expence to the Public:—To prevent which, it is hereby Ordered That the several Coroners and Justices of the Peace for the said Province do, for the future, commit all Prisoners to the *Goal of the District* wherein the Offences wherewith they are charged were committed; and that they do take Recognizances for the Appearance of the several Parties and Witnesses, at the Times and Places mentioned in the said Act for the Courts to be held respectively, and transmit the same, together with the several Examinations, Depositions, and other Papers relative thereto, to the *Crown-Office* in *Charles-Town*, agreeable to the Rule made for that Purpose, on the 11th Day of May last, and then published in the several Gazettes of this Province, *except* such as may be taken in the *Country Districts*, within *one Month* of the Sitting of the Court for the District in which the Offence is to be tried, which they are hereby Ordered, to return to the *Clerk of the Crown*, upon the Circuit, or his *Deputy*, at the Court-House of such *District*, on the Morning of the first Day of the Court, that there may be no Delay in the Business thereof.

By Order of their Honours the Judges,

JAMES JOHNSTON, C. C. & P.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

ON the Adjournment-Day of *August* Term, 1772, their Honours the JUDGES, chose their CIRCUITS, which are as follows:

NOVEMBER ASSIZES.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

JUSTICES. { CHIEF-JUSTICE, Mr. Justice *Murray*.

CAMDEN District.—At CAMDEN, Thursday, *November* 5.
CHERAWS District.—At CHERAWS, Monday, *November* 16.
GEORGE-TOWN District.—At GEORGE-TOWN, Thursday, *November* 26.

CLERKS. { CAMDEN,—*George Chateris*, CHERAWS,—*Thomas Turner*, GEORGE-TOWN, *R. P. Handasyde Hatley*.

SOUTHERN CIRCUIT.

JUSTICES. { Mr. Justice *Savage*, Mr. Justice *Cosslett*.

ORANGEBURG District.——At ORANGEBURG, Thursday, *November* 5.
NINETY-SIX District.—At NINETY-SIX, Monday, *November* 16.
BEAUFORT District.—At BEAUFORT, Monday, *November* 30.

CLERKS. { ORANGEBURG — *Peter Bounetheau*. NINETY-SIX.— BEAUFORT.—*Hazard Harvey*.

WHEREAS the PARISH CHURCH of St. *Philip*, *Charles-Town*, is in Want of necessary and immediate Repairs:—THIS IS THEREFORE TO GIVE NOTICE, That any Person or Persons willing to undertake the same, may see the Particulars, by applying to

PETER BOUNETHEAU.

N. B. PROPOSALS to be given in on or before the 21st Instant.

The SUBSCRIBER,

Late WAITER at Mr. HOLLIDAY's Tavern,

Begs Leave to inform his Friends, and the Public in general,

THAT he has taken the House at *Newmarket*, near *Charles-Town*, lately occupied by Mr. LEVY, where Gentlemen and others may be assured of always meeting with genteel Entertainment, good Liquors of every Kind, and the best Provisions the Markets will afford.—The utmost Attention will be paid to give Satisfaction to his Encouragers, and their Favours held in grateful Remembrance, by

Their humble Servant,

JAMES STRICKLAND.

FRANCIS DUVAL

HAS taken a very convenient Room at Mr. GREENLAND's, in *Elliott-Street*, where he proposes to teach EVERY Day from Nine till Eleven in the Morning, and from Three to Five in the Afternoon:——Those Ladies and Gentlemen who may be pleased to send their Children to him, may rely on his Assiduity, and he assures them, that every Means in his Power shall be exerted for their Improvement.

He likewise intends to keep in the above Room, an EVENING SCHOOL three Evenings in the Week, and will begin it as soon as the Number of Scholars shall be sufficient to answer his Attendance.

To be LETT,

A convenient TENEMENT

In CHURCH-STREET, with a good Garden, at present occupied by GIDEON DUPONT, jun.

BARROT TRAVIS, of the Branches of LITTLE and SALUDA RIVERS, informs me of a bright bay HORSE, near thirteen Hands high, with several Saddle-spots, branded on the mounting Shoulder ſ W.

CHARLES HARRIS, of a black HORSE, about 13 Hands high, came to his House, branded on the Shoulder W N, on the near Thigh 2, on the off Shoulder C AB, and on the off Thigh J:

MOSES PRESCOAT, of a small white MARE, branded on the near Shoulder with something resembling + H, and on the off Shoulder with a Brand that cannot be made out.

JAMES HOWARD, of the Branches of EDISTO, of a small Mouse-coloured black MARE, with a Blaze, and branded on the near Thigh NF in one.

JESS LOTT, of an old white HORSE, about fourteen Hands high, came to his House, branded on the mounting Shoulder I A. LIKEWISE,

MARK LOTT, of a bright bay HORSE, about thirteen Hands high, branded on the off Shoulder II.——The Owners of the above-mentioned Strays, must prove their Property, within the Time prescribed by Law, before

JOHN FAIRCHILD, J. P.

In the Ship BEAUFAIN, *Captain* PURCHAS, *from* LONDON,

LEGER & GREENWOOD

Have imported the following ARTICLES,

VIZ.

A few Pieces of rich Brocades & Lustrings;

RICH Lace Satins;
A few brocaded and Gold SHAPES, for Men's Waistcoats;
Double Edge Thread Lace
A Variety of Blond and Gauze Lappets;
Undressed Caps;
Dressed Lace Ditto;
Dressed Fly Ditto;
Gold and Silver Spangles, and Tombour Thread;
Ladies Hat Boxes, with Partitions;
Some fashionable Ribands;

And in the ST. HELENA, *Captain* ARTHAR, *from* BRISTOL,

Their white and coloured PLAINS;

Which coming (as usual) from the FIRST HANDS, the Quality will recommend itself.

ANCRUMS & CHIFFELLE,

Acquaint their Friends,

That they have just RECEIVED their

White and coloured PLAINS;

WITH A LARGE

ASSORTMENT of other GOODS,

From LONDON *and* BRISTOL.

THE Plains being bought with *Cash*, at the best Manufactory in ENGLAND, will be sold very CHEAP, and are of a good Quality, equal to their Importation last Year.

A few very handsome Gold and Silver brocaded SHAPES, for Men's Summer Waistcoats.

CARNE & POINSETT

Have imported, in the last Vessels from London *and* Bristol,

A VERY LARGE AND GENERAL

ASSORTMENT of DRUGS, CHYMICAL, GALENICAL, AND

FAMILY MEDICINES;

MAHOGANY Medicine-Chests, with ground Stoppers and Specie Bottles; and *Bristol* Water, in Hampers; Which they will dispose of on the most reasonable Terms, at their Shop in *Elliott-Street*.——They have also a few Dozen of excellent PORT WINE, to dispose of CHEAP.—Likewise, a Quantity of all Kinds of PICKLES.

N. B. Orders from the Country punctually and expeditiously complied with.——Proper Allowances made to Practitioners.

BOXES of MEDICINES fitted up as usual.

NEWMAN SWALLOW,

Has for Sale at his Store on the Bay, near the old Vendue-House, for Cash or short Credit,

OLD Jamaica, Windward-Island, and Northward RUM by the Hogshead, Quarter Cask, or smaller Quantity.—Old Madera WINE by the Quarter-Cask or Dozen.—Red Port, Claret, and Fronteniac WINES by the Dozen Bottles.—Arrack, Brandy, Geneva, Cherry Bounce, and White Wine Vinegar. Best London Porter in Casks, and by the Dozen.—Coffee, Chocolate, fine Green Tea at 55*s.* the Pound, Bohea Ditto at 25*s.* the Pound.—Canded Citron, Spirits of Turpentine in Quart Bottles, extraordinary good Orange Juice in any Quantity, bottled Cyder, Stone Jugs and Butter Jars of all Sizes. Loaf and Muscovado Sugar.—Tamarinds, Sweet-Meats, Mustard, Glauber Salts, Starch, coarse and fine Salt, Mens fine and fek Hats, well cured Salt petred Hams, Gammons and Flitches, ditto Northward Hams, superfine Philadelphia Flour in Kegs and half Barrels, Milk and Water Bread, imported in the last Vessels.—Raisins of the Sun, excellent West-India Cordials in Cases, &c. &c.

To be LET *or* SOLD,

A Commodious new built WOODEN HOUSE in *King-Street*, next to Mr. *Fitz Simons's*, fronting the Path, and opposite to *Herman Hust's*; hath six complete Rooms, a Piazza on one Side and at the End, with a Pantry, a Cellar under the House seven Feet high in the Clear, a large Kitchen, Store House, Chair-House, and Stable, a Well of exceeding fine Water, and every other Necessary suitable for a genteel Family.

If sold, the Purchaser may have one, two, or three Years Credit, paying Interest, and giving Security.—For further Particulars, enquire of SAMUEL HOPKINS.

To be SOLD, upon Credit,

A LOT in the Town of *Beaufort*,

PORT-ROYAL:—On which is an exceeding good Two-Story Wooden HOUSE, with every necessary Out-Building.—Enquire of TUNES TEBOUT, at *Beaufort*, or PETER MANIGAULT, Esq; in *Charles-Town*.

Wants Employment,

A GARDENER,

Lately arrived from ENGLAND, who understands the Management of both a Kitchen and Flower Garden, and of raising all Kinds of Trees, &c. &c.—Enquire at the Printing-Office on the Bay, near the Exchange.

Wanted immediately,

A single sedate WOMAN,

Of a good Character, properly qualified to act as HOUSE-KEEPER in a Gentleman's Family.—Enquire at the Printing-Office near the *Exchange*.

WILLIAM WHITE, at LONG-CANES, informs me of a black GELDING, near 14 Hands high, seven Years old, and is Hip shod in the off Buttock, branded on the mounting Shoulder JR, with a Flower-de-Luce on Top, and some obscure Brand on the off Buttock; had on a small Bell, tied with a Strop of Leather;—a Trotter. Whoever claims the above Stray, must prove the Property, before

PATRICK CALHOUN, J. P.